



General Assembly

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Amendment

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Offered by:

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 22

File No. 27

Cal. No. 268

***"An Act Concerning Certification Of
Telecommunications Providers."***

1 In line 1, before "Subdivision" insert "Section 1."

2 After line 22, insert the following:

3 "Sec. 2. (NEW) (a) Each contract entered into for the sale to a
4 consumer of equipment to be used in conjunction with the sale of
5 telecommunications services shall include an express warranty
6 covering (1) the replacement of all such equipment for at least sixty
7 days after its purchase, and (2) the full cost of both parts and labor of
8 all such equipment for at least one year after its purchase. Any service
9 contract entered into with a consumer shall provide that on and after
10 October 1, 2000, if any such equipment fails to operate due to a defect
11 in such equipment during the period when such provider is providing
12 telecommunications services under such contract, the consumer may
13 cancel the service contract without incurring any liability against such
14 provider.

15 (b) Any person who violates a service contract relating to equipment

16 used in conjunction with the sale of telecommunications services shall
17 pay the consumer double damages.

18 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000."